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THE LATEST NEWS.

PREPARATIONS ON THE POTOMAC

SLOW BUT SURE, THE POLICY.

BOTH ARMIES OVER-ESTIMATED.

BRILLIANT EXPLOIT NEAR AQUIA.

OUR MEN BURN A REBEL SCHOONER.

A FIGHT ON SANTA ROSA ISLAND.

Billy Wilson's Men Engaged!

REPORTED BATTLE NEAR SEDALIA.

THE COMING COAST EXPEDITION.

TOM. MARSHALL'S CAVALRY DISBANDED.

FROM WASHINGTON.

[Special Dispatch to the Chicago Tribune.]

WASHINGTON, October 11th, 1861.

Mischievous consequences flow from the exaggerated estimate prevalent among the people of the number of the Potomac army. General McClellan has not two hundred and fifty or even two hundred thousand available troops. We have no right to be more specific. There is probably, also, some tendency to exaggeration among the rebels, whose force all accounts of prisoners, deserters, and refugees represent as very large—much larger than ours.

The policy of Gen. McClellan for a cautious and gradual advance, is the true one. The line of hills occupied within the last ten days have been strongly fortified. There will be no second falling back to Washington.

Capt. Harrell, commanding the steamer Union, yesterday morning burned a large rebel schooner in Dumfries Creek, a few miles above Aquia Creek. Three boats pulled up the stream, and although the sentries alarmed the camps, our men accomplished their purpose. Guided by their camp fires they fired upon our men from both banks, hitting the boats and perforating the men's clothes, but killing nobody. There is a large number of rebel troops in the vicinity, for the purpose, as Capt. Harrell thinks, of crossing the Potomac.

Half a company of National soldiers, encamped on an island opposite Edwards's Ferry, but nearer the Virginia shore, were attacked by a large body of rebels, but made good their retreat.

There have been only 19 deaths in General Wool's Department in three months.

Somebody has been imposing on the public and using Postmasters as agents to collect funds for a "Humane Society" here, which has no existence.

The Old Point steamer reports an attack apprehended from the James river rebel boats.

A new battery has been erected on the Potomac.

FROM ST. LOUIS,

[Special Dispatch to the Chicago Tribune.]

ST. LOUIS, October 11, 1861.

Rumors both here and at Jefferson City revive the story that Sigel has routed the rear of Price's army, beyond Sedalia. A soldier returned from that country furnishes the *Evening Democrat* with quite a circumstantial account of the affair. Dispatches from Jefferson City state that the belief is current there that Sigel has had a fight. The story, however, needs confirmation, as the fight, if any, happened several days ago, and would have been heard from before this.

An injunction is placed on telegraphing as to counts of movements from this city, as well as Jefferson City.

Secretary Cameron and Adjutant General Thomas left for Tipton to-day.

A proposition is pending before the State Convention curtailing the power of the banks to suspend specie payments till December 1st ensuing, instead of until next May, as allowed by the Legislature. The Convention did nothing of importance to-day.

A spy has been arrested here with maps of the principal fortifications around the city.

Letters have gone to Jefferson City impliedting the loyalty of a certain newspaper correspondent now with Gen. Fremont's advance army.

Fremont has issued orders to his telegraphic corps to repair the wires between Syracuse and Lexington, or, if that is found impossible, to put up a new line to Lexington from Sedalia, so as to place every division of the National army in Missouri under his immediate eye. A telegraph is to be built as the army advances, but it is doubtful whether it can be kept in repair.

The banks and savings institutions refuse each other's checks. The Merchants'Bank's certificates have gone to protest, because the holders would not receive them on bank rates.

FROM QUINCY.

[Special Dispatch to the Chicago Tribune.]

QUINCY, October 12, 1861.

Portions of several companies of Col. Marshall's Cavalry Regiment came up to-day, from St. Louis. They have received three months' pay, about $95 in all, for services, mileage, etc., etc., and have been mustered out; but their discharges certify to the curious fact that there is no reason known why they may not enlist again!

Gen. Prentiss is in command at Jefferson City, the neighborhood having been added to his military district.

From Washington

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Unfounded statements, of a character prejudicial to the public interest, frequently appear in the telegraphic news or journals published at a distance from the Capital. The inquiry is often made why this Government permits such dispatches to pass over the wires. It is therefore proper to say, by request, that these statements rarely go by mail, and not by telegraph, or are prepared at the office where they appear.

Col. Hecker, of Chicago, who came here on business connected with the troubles in his regiment, now in Kentucky, has left Washington.

[Special to the N. Y. Evening Post.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Several stampedes of slaves have occurred in Worcester county, Md.

Lieut. Bliss, who has just arrived here from the camp at Lewinsville, reports that everything was quiet at that post to-day.

It is understood that Secretary Cameron's journey to St. Louis has been undertaken for the purpose of arriving at a correct conclusion concerning the state of affairs in the Western Department.

The rebel privateer Dixie is ascertained to have been a Maryland vessel, formerly a trader.

(To the Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—The Herald completes that the over estimate of the army of the Potomac has an injurious effect upon the people of the North, inclining the manners of enlistments. It says 50,000 more troops are wanted here immediately. Indiana has forty regiments in the field already.

(Special Dispatch to the N. Y. Evening Post.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Several citizens of Baltimore, who were violent secessionists one month ago, are now entreating the Department to have pardons granted.

Expelling from Ft. Pickens—The Rebels Attack Billy Wilson's New York Zouaves.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 12.—The *Norfolk Day Book* received to day contains dispatches from New Orleans giving an account of a surprise and an attack made on Wilson's Zouaves, at Santa Rosa Island, by detachments from Mississippi, Alabama and Louisiana regiments. They landed in the night and drove in our pickets, when a fierce fight ensued. The rebels confess that they fought bravely, and admit their own loss to be 60 killed and 80 wounded, but don't say how many prisoners they took. Our men spiked and upset the guns and destroyed all of Wilson's camp equipage and took a number of prisoners.

From Missouri.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 12.—A special dispatch was received this morning from Jefferson City, which says that Gen. Prentiss and staff have taken quarters at the Jefferson House. The line of pickets from St. Louis county to Sedalia has been added to the North Missouri division, some three miles assigned to Gen. Prentiss. His visit there is doubtless on business connected with his command. The same dispatch says there is a rumor that Price has been prevented by floods from crossing the Osage, and that Gen. Lane has routed a detachment of his rear guard after cutting them off from their main body.

There has evidently been a battle, either with Lane or Sigel's forces and the rebels, and when the train arrives at Jefferson City from the West, more will be known about it.

Secretary Cameron, Adjutant General Thomas, and other military gentlemen left on a special train for Jefferson City.

One of the gunboats now building here, will be launched this evening.

Major Uriel Wright has been speaking before the Conventions all day.

Billy Wilson's Zouaves in a Fight on Santa Rosa Island—Rebel Account of the Affair.

WASHINGTON, October 12.—The Norfolk *Day Book*, received this morning, contains dispatches received from New Orleans, giving an account of a surprise and attack made on Col. Billy Wilson's Zouaves, on Santa Rosa Island, on the 8th inst. By this account it appears that detachments from several Mississippi, Louisiana and Alabama regiments made a landing in the night, and drove in Wilson's pickets. Shortly afterwards a fierce fight began. The Zouaves of Col. Wilson are credited with having fought with great bravery, and the rebels admit a loss of about 60 killed and 80 wounded. The rebels claim to have spiked the guns of the Zouaves, and destroyed all their camp equipage. They also claim to have committed great slaughter among the Zouaves, but give no number of the killed. The rebels also say that they carried off a number of prisoners.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—The War Department has received dispatches from Gen. Mitchell, in which it is said that the Union men in Kentucky is far more hopeful than was first supposed. There is good reason to believe that the reserves taken by the Administration will result in the expulsion of the rebels and the triumph of the Union cause in Kentucky. All quiet down the river, and it is supposed that the steamer Fanchon will go up to-day without any opposition. Merchant vessels arrive daily without molestation. If there are any rebel batteries between Cairo and Memphis, they keep invisible.

It is now certain that McClellan's advance to Leesburg's and Lewinsville has completely discharged of the rebel pieces, and made a change in their policy necessary. Our soldiers are engaged in cutting down woods around the new positions. The railroad from Washington to Alexandria, long diseased, is to be rebuilt with a track over Long Bridge, to connect with the railroad to Baltimore.

Preliminary to a Battle—The Rebels Advance in Force—Our Troops got under Headway.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12—During to-day the rebels have advanced in large force in the direction of Prospect Hill, driving in our pickets at that point. The division of Gen. McDall was soon formed in line of battle, with orders to advance, supported by cavalry and artillery. Several shots were fired by the rebel battery, but without injury. The divisions of McDowell, Porter and Smith were soon prepared for battle, but nothing further took place. Gen. McClellan was on the Virginia side the greater part of the day.

Treasury Notes—A Liberal Exchange Offered.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12—The Assistant Treasurer of this port has been authorized by the Secretary of the Treasury to receive two per cent. premium on Treasury notes in exchange at par for the 7.30 notes, from any individual or corporations who may desire to profit by the conversion.

A Witness Against the Savannah Pirates.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Horace W. Bridge, first mate of the schooner Joseph, of Rockland, has arrived from the South. His vessel was captured by the pirate Savannah, in which case Bridges will be an important witness.

Looking to the Coast Expedition.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—The United States transport Constitution, is at anchor off Governor's Island, taking on board the 9d Rhode Island regiment, which were encamped at Fort Hamilton. The Roanoke, Empire City, Parkersburg, and Connecticut have the gun-boats Ottawa and Unadilla, have sailed.

Arrival of Hessians.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 12.—The steamer Louisiana arrived to night and brought nearly 100 passengers, including 60 from Norfolk, who were permitted by the rebel authorities to leave. A large proportion were women and children.

Movements of Secretary Cameron.

ST. LOUIS, October 12.—Secretary Cameron and Adjutant General Thomas, with companies by Major Pimmley and Captain McKeever, of General Fremont's staff, left for the General's headquarters at Tipton, at 1:30 p. m. to-day.

Colonel Rankin Held for Trial.

TORONTO, October 12—In Col. Rankin's case the magistrates decided that he should be bound over to take his trial at the next Assizes, which sits next week.

STILL LATER FROM WESTERN VIRGINIA.

Devastation of the Country—Campaign Ended—Withdrawal of the Federal Troops—1,800 Confined in the Hospital.

[From the Cincinnati Enquirer, 13th.]

The steamer Mary Cook arrived last evening from the Kanawha River, bringing from the camps near Gauley Bridge 184 sick and wounded soldiers, who were immediately taken from the steamer to the Marine Hospital. Our fellow-citizen, Mr. Quinn, who has been staying a few weeks in Western Virginia, was also a passenger on the Cook, and from him we learn very important particulars from that section of the State. He corroborates the statement of Colonel Frizell, and that the whole country of the Kanawha Valley is devastated, and that farmers are leaving as rapidly as transportation can be found to bring them North. Forage is out of the question, and provisions can not be procured.

The condition of the roads and country is such that an army of 2,000 men could not winter there, the impossibility of transportation being so great, and the risk of reaching the army with supplies, &c., so hazardous.

Gens. Rosecrans and Cox are at Mountain Cove, only thirteen miles from Gauley Bridge, with *only six thousand troops who are able to perform duty, and are available.* Between Gauley Bridge and Camp Look-out there were on Tuesday last 1,640 patients in the hospitals, prostrated with the camp fever. At Cross Lakes, near Carnifex Ferry, and about twenty-eight miles from Gauley Bridge, are 160 patients. Those that can bear moving are to be brought here as rapidly as steamers can be secured.

During the past two weeks there has been continuous rains, and the roads are almost impassable. The campaign in Western Virginia is virtually ended, and preparations are on foot to withdraw a portion of our forces there, and send them into Kentucky, leaving only a sufficient force to prevent the rebels from approaching north of Gauley river or west of Chest Mountain. The probabilities are, however, that the secessionists have no desire to come through a country they already had laid waste, and left barren.

Col. Tyler Lubin was at Sewall's Mountain when a battle between our forces and the rebels was so imminent. The enemy were intrenched on a mountain four miles and a half from our army, and their camp fires were plainly visible. The enemy's pickets fired upon the Federal pickets, but no damage was done. On Sunday evening General Rosecrans fell back on Camp Lookout, and then to Mountain Cove. We will not be surprised to hear of Rosecrans in Kentucky within ten days. The enemy have already gone in the direction of Cumberland Gap.

Illness of Dr. Arnold.

We regret to learn that Dr. J. D. Arnold, late of this city, Consul to St. Petersburg, is suffering under one of the severest attacks of hemorrhage at the lungs that he has yet experienced. A letter was received from him yesterday by his brother-in-law, H. G. Anderson, Esq., stating that he was very low, it taking him four days to write his letter. He writes that if he survives and is sufficiently recovered, he shall return to America in the spring.—*Boris Transcript*, 12th.

Treason Rebuked.

In the Third Congressional District, which elected Vallandigham a year ago, the Union ticket received, on Tuesday last, a majority of 1,000. Even Butler, the stronghold of secession sympathizers, elected a portion of the Union candidates. Over this result, Vallandigham is announced to make a jollification speech at Hamilton to-day. His impudence is only excelled by his disloyalty.—*Cincinnati Gazette.*

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—On Wednesday evening last, as the son of Hon. Charles R. Stuart (Co. E Senator), was attempting to get on a freight train moving slowly from the depot, he missed his footing and fell nearly parallel with the track, his head being almost immediately on the rail. Fortunately the cars passed, instead of crushing his skull, pushed his head aside, breaking it badly, as also his side, from which the clothing was torn. He was otherwise seriously injured, but is now recovering. The accident should teach a lesson of warning to that large class of boys and young men who are in the habit of getting on and off cars when in motion.—*Kalamazoo Telegraph*, 9th.

MORE GUNS FOR FREMONT.—Two 8-se brass twelve pound howitzers, manufactured in this city, at Greenwood's, were sent to Fremont yesterday afternoon. Also a lot of bazets, together with a number of rifled muskets, recently purchased by Gen. Fremont in this city, were altered and filled in this city. They make a splendid gun. The Enfield sight is put upon them and a range of 1,500 yards.—*Cincinnati Commercial*, 12th.

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WANTED.—A Situation by a gentleman and accountant—4 Book-Keeper, as a Secretary Attorney, or would like to obtain Books or Accounts to make up. Address Post Office Box 1181. oct14:2

FOUND.—A large black Horse, short tail and harness mark, which the owner will find at M. SCHUYLER'S, on the west side of Ogden Bay Road, about six miles from Chicago; occupy claim or take away. oct14:2

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$5 REWARD.—Lost while going from Wabash avenue to Lake street, through Randolph and Dearborn streets, on Thursday, a pocket book containing a considerable amount of money. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at 169 Wabash avenue, or at this office. oct14:2

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...much of the future welfare of the ...ple depends upon the success of ... McClellan at Washington, that he is ...d man who can contemplate the pos... ...y of his defeat, without a chill of ...r. His triumph with that magnifi... army—the best fed, clothed, armed ...d equipped body of men that ever in ...ual numbers entered the field—would ...en Alpheus and easy way to the Gulf, on ...hich the victorious young hero would ...amp before the end of March, scooping ...ut the very focus of discontent on his ...way. Beaten on the Potomac, the rebels ...have made their last great effort. All their ...military resources, save in men, are aggregated at the point of interest, and if they are lost, the game is up, or is reduced to a series of petty operations that may continue for a year or more, costing much life and considerable expenditure on each side; but which, if the North remains undivided, cannot affect the the final result. This is not all. The war, so far, on the part of the South, has been conducted upon the idea that her men are invincible—an idea strengthened and confirmed by that fatal 21st of July. A defeat of their ablest Generals commanding the most formidable force that the rebellious States can ever put into the field, having in hand the entire warlike resources of all Secessia, would be a discouragement from which no assurance of future successes could arouse the vanquished troops. Serving even now unwillingly or under the delusion that it is only a holiday task that they have undertaken, a rout would open their eyes to the magnitude of the work before them; and in spite of the impassioned appeals of their leaders, the clamor for peace or for an accommodation on upon some terms, would inevitably make itself heard. Again, the march of an army flushed with victory, through the districts of the South where the curse of human bondage rests with blackest shadow—along down the eastern shore of Virginia, through North and South Carolina to Georgia and the Gulf—would demonstrate the effect of the rebellion upon the institution that has caused it. The boast of the South that the slaves are without the noble impulses of freedom, and that they are forever content to be as beasts in the field or market-place, would be brought to the test; and lucky will the threatened inhabitants of all that Southern country be, if, after emancipation has been so long withheld, and finally wrested by force from unwilling but unrepentant masters, the bondmen, goaded by the recollection of lives of hardship and wrong, do not, as they hail the approach of, or fall in behind our victorious legions, take into their own hands the punishment of the nameless crimes of which they have been the objects. Of this we may be sure, that at home, on his plantation, with the arms that he carried to the field, will be the place of every owner of human chattels, where, as a guard over his own household, he may repress the first tendencies to revolt which his impatient and restive "things" may manifest as the news of their possible liberation flies in advance of the army of the Republic. A regiment of Federal troops on the James river or the Congaree, would scatter on army of ten thousand dealers in flesh and blood. Once more: The credit of the rebel Government is contained in the hope of success. That hope jostled by a stunning defeat, would tumble to the ground; and the means and appliances—he apologies for money—by which the war has been carried on, would become worthless and of no avail. In the brief and desperate continuation of the struggle, forced loans, arbitrary requisitions, or illimitable issues of worthless promises to pay, would be the only resources of the army and the exchequer. How long the war could be continued with such internal disorders and causes of popular revolt, and with ports hermetically sealed to the ingress or egress of commerce, the fiercest of the rebels would be at no loss to determine.

A fortnight will probably solve the problem of which the battle on the Potomac is the key. The events of the day point to that period as one beyond which inaction cannot exten d.

INFLATION—COUNTER FEITING.

One of the worst evils inseparable, in all past experience, to bank-issues, is the spirit of speculation they foster and the inflation in prices they produce, followed by sudden contraction in the volume of the currency, and consequent bankruptcy and ruin. So long as two hundred millions of "promises to pay" are under the control of bank-directors, whose rule of action is to make the most they can out of their own debts, these financial revulsions are sure to come at least once in every generation. Such has been the experience of the past, and if the present system is continued, such, inevitably, will be the result in the future. But if by the means indicated in our last article, or by any other, Treasury Notes are gradually made to take the place of ordinary bank bills, we can see no element in the ordinary business of the country that could cause a financial crash similar to those of 1857—'57. Those notes would simply represent so much coin. They would pass from hand to hand in the ordinary transaction of business; they would be received in payment of all dues, and the amount in circulation would be regulated by the ordinary transactions of the Government. No junta in a bank parlor could expand or contract their values at pleasure by an arbitrary change in the amount of currency in circulation. Business done in these notes or in coin would move along steadily and smoothly in well defined channels, and those who, by a life of industry, had saved something for old age, would no longer be in danger of having it swept away by causes over which they had not the least possible control.

Another important consideration is that the use of Treasury Notes would greatly lessen the danger of loss to the people from counterfeiters. With a thousand banks all issuing bills of different denominations, it is utterly impossible for men in ordinary business to remember them so as to escape loss from counterfeit bills. The aggregate loss annually sustained by the people from this source is enormous. The ability to do this is a strong temptation to and fruitful source of crime. There is scarcely a prison in the country that does not contain from one to a score of victims.

Now, if Treasury Notes become the circulating medium, by seeing them so constantly the whole people would become experts, and it would become next to impossible for a counterfeit bill to obtain any circulation. Hundreds and thousands of sharp eyes would be upon it, all of whom by constantly seeing the genuine would be able at once to detect the bogus. Instead of having a perfect medley of currency there would be but one circulation five, ten, twenty, fifty, and hundred dollar bills, and, as they are and should be engraved in the best style, all the people would become so familiar with these five different bills that imposition would be about impossible. To remember and to know good money as the currency now is, is as difficult as it would be to name each man of ten thousand in a crowd by passing through them rapidly once a year; while to distinguish the Treasury Notes would become like naming the half dozen men with whom one is in most intimate daily intercourse.

Coin too would become more plenty, and for the reasons above given, the danger of imposition from counterfeits would become proportionately less. The color, size, weight and ring of the true metallic would become so familiar to every eye and ear that the detection of the bogus would be instantaneous. Now if a man gets a yellow coin he scans it into his pocket without much thought as to whether it is good or bad. Gold is much more plenty than it has been; but one gets hold of it so seldom that he can easily remember from whom it was received and return it if its genuiness is disputed. It is also true that comparatively speaking, there is very little counterfeit coin in circulation; but the people will be glad to become so familiar with the genuine, that what little bogus there is would at once be detected.

In every view in which we have been able to regard them, these Treasury notes are just the thing to form both a reliable and national currency. Several of our railways and banks are paying them out, and it is to be hoped they will soon find their way into the pockets of all the people.

NEW REGULAR REGIMENTS.

It is really singular that the War Department does not consolidate the eleven fragments of regiments of regulars. An experiment vigorously prosecuted for three months, has proved the impossibility of filling up to the maximum standard the new regiments which Congress authorized the President to raise. Each regiment was to contain three battalions of 800 men, or 2,400 to the regiment, making an augmentation of our standing army of 26,400 soldiers. The regiments are sluminantly officered, but up to this day less than 4,000 recruits have been obtained—not enough for two regiments on the proposed plan. The officers selected to command these troops are mostly West Pointers, and are badly needed in the field to command the volunteers. Here are some five hundred commissioned officers drawing pay and rations, and waiting for their regiments to fill up. The war will be over before that is done. Shall this waste of money and officers go on? Can public necessities afford it? We urge the President and Secretary of War to put a stop to this business, and suggest that recruits already enlisted be used in part to fill up the old regiments, and what are left be collected into one new regiment and sent to the seat of war. Let the officers be distributed among the volunteer regiments where their skill will be of great benefit to the army. A few Second Lieutenants might be left to continue the recruiting stations and pick up what men they can. There is Col. Cooke's regiment of regulars, containing 800 men, now on its way to Washington. Why should not 400 of the recruits encamped at Desplaines, be taken to fill up its thin ranks? Those men are well drilled and ready to go into active service, and do something useful for their country. This plan would reduce the current expenses of the regular service and greatly promote its efficiency.

MILITARY MATTERS.

The quota of Iowa is 17,550 men. The Iowa *State Register* claims that she has now at least 22,000 under arms, not including two or three thousand that have enlisted in other States. It makes up the figures by counting all the regiments in camp, and estimating the Home Guards along the border, who are doing good service although without pay. No one has ever doubted Iowa. We imagine the proposition to the contrary was not made to get the truth, as it was to get them and at the same time prevent heartburnings and jealousy among the great multitude offering themselves. In the late campaign, one of the most potent causes operating against Gov. Kirkwood, was the fact that in selecting companies to fill up regiments he necessarily disappointed nine in ten of the parties offering to recruit them. A draft, or an allotment, would have obviated all this difficulty.

The quota of New York, as we have already announced, is decided by the census bureau to be an even hundred thousand men. Apportioned by counties, the following results appear:—New York city, 30,963; Brooklyn, 7,155; Erie, 5,082. Albany, 2,943; Oneida, 2,729; Monroe, 2,613, Westchester, 2,538; Onondaga, 2,458; Rensselaer, 2,239; St. Lawrence, 2,183. Of these, New York City alone has given anything like its full proportion, and its 30,000 men for the city and suburbs (including Brooklyn), is no more than their share, it will be seen how empty is the boast that the city has overrun its quota. Figures are an infallible test. Governor Morgan says something about raising a quarter of a million men. Better raise the 100,000 first.

Congressman Kellogg's cavalry regiment at Grand Rapids, Mich., has succeed so well that enough men are left, after a full regiment, to make the nucleus of a second. The State enumerates the regiments thus:—1st, Col. Brodhead's, raised independently, and now at Washington; 2d, Col. Kellogg's; and 3d, the regiment being raised after Kellogg's, the officers for which have not yet been appointed.

The 5th New Hampshire regiment is commanded by Col. Edward E. Cross, who has gained somewhat of a reputation upon the Plains and especially in Arizona.

Ohio Election.

The election in the Western Reserve part of Ohio resembled the handle on a jug—all on one side. In Portage county the vote was for Tod, Union, 3,467, Jewett, Democrat, 566. Painesville, Lake county, voted Tod 570, Jewett 15. Cuyahoga Falls, Tod 291, Jewett 1. Akron, Tod 627, Jewett 10. In 46 townships and cities upon the Western Reserve, including Cleveland and Sandusky county, Tod's vote is 15,218, and Jewett's vote 3,736; Tod's majority 11,482.

The reported figures from twenty-eight counties, including Cleveland and Cincinnati with their respective counties, foot up Tod 26,021; Jewett 1,830; a majority for Tod of 24,191. At this rate the Tod majority should be about 50,000 in the State, and would be if the vote had been a full one, but as everybody expected the Union ticket would carry, no one went to much pains to get the voters to the polls. The Democrats tried to steal a march on their lazy Republican opponents and succeeded to carry a dozen counties in the State, when the Union men might have carried every one had they made proper exertion. The Democrats headed their tickets "for the Union and War," and thereby retained the support of thousands of Democrats who otherwise would have voted the Union ticket. The Democratic leaders played the same game in Iowa, Indiana and Pennsylvania, loudly professing to be for the war to the hilt, and claiming to be better Unionists than the Union men themselves.

Paper Duties in England.

The bill abolishing the Paper Duty in Great Britain went into effect on the first of October. The manufacture of news and book paper is now free of duty, the same as in the United States. The cost has been reduced something like four cents on the pound, and publishers of newspapers are reducing their subscription terms to something like the American standard. Penny daily papers are starting up in all the large towns—the penny being nearly equal to two cents of our currency. The weekly stamp are reducing their price. The *Weekly Times* (no relation of the Thunderer) announces that its circulation, since the reduction of price, on Sept. 1, to a penny, has reached the enormous amount of 350,000 copies. The *Weekly Times* is a radical paper, strongly Republican in its sentiments, and opposed to the union of Church and State and the system of primogeniture and landed aristocracy. It advocates "Manhood Suffrage," vote by ballot, and equal Parliamentary districts. Its immense circulation, which is double that of the New York *Weekly Tribune*, shows how wide spread must be Republican ideas among the masses of the English people.

Newspapers will multiply enormously in England, in consequence of their future cheapness, and the more they circulate the more will liberal and Democratic ideas be diffused among the people. R. Hoe & Co., of New York, the builders of the lightning rotary presses, will reap a fortune from the repeal of the paper duties, or it will quadruple their orders for this machine. They now supply all the leading British newspaper establishments.

Pestilence at Cape Girardeau.

The military authorities at Cape Girardeau, by order of Col. Plummer, of the 11th Missouri, commanding post, have ordered the suspension of the Post Office and placed Maj. John C. Bennett, 20th Iowa, in charge.

POST RIOTS CONVENTION.—Congressmen Colfax, of Ohio, Mitchell, of Indiana, and Kelley, of Pennsylvania, have arrived, and will address the meeting at Post Hall, this evening. Col. Ellsworth is expected, with a battalion of Zouaves.

NEW RECRUITS.—The Hon. Lewis V. Bogy, Col. Wm. Vinton, and Col. D. D. Mason, have been appointed by Gen. Fremont to muster in the upper counties of the Ninth Congressional District of Kentucky.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

Within the Lines—A Night Skirmish—A Terrible Battle—Another Bloody Repulse—Gen. Church—Preparing to Shell them a Little—Grimness of Secessionists—The Night Fall in the Camps.

WASHINGTON, October 5, 1861.

Let us finish our tour within the lines, and make a call on a Chicago friend at the same time. We find him in the tent of the Brigade Surgeon of Gen. Smith's Brigade, Dr. S. R. Haven. Pausing here to refresh man and beast, we set out again, the Surgeon himself leading the way.

We go the same route that the six thousand went in a night movement on Tuesday of last week. They filed out along this narrow road, leading southwesterly, infantry and artillery, in the night without a noise. We came to a point where they found trees felled across the road. At this place we are still going southwesterly from Chain Bridge, now five miles distant. Here at this blockade in the road on that night march, axemen ate set at work, and at the same time, are sent out quietly and silently five hundred men in each direction, employed as skirmishers, to right and left. The wedges get thick, and the same pieces made with rich jungles by a close second growth of pine. The skirmishers push forward in almost utter darkness. No one knows what he may come upon the enemy. The way is cleared at last, and the column moves on down the road, and up and around the crest of a prominent ridge. The road here takes a turn to the north. The orders to the skirmish party on either side, were to sweep the woods thoroughly and join the main column at the road beyond this bend. They did so, and as scout after scout came up on either side of the road, each began to fire of the moving masses over the way, firmly sure in the next struggling moonlight—their own friends. The column came up within range, and hearing the skirmish ahead, preparations were made to sustain their friends, engaged, as they supposed, with a party of the rebels. The artillery unlimbered, the infantry began to fire at random. Shot began to fall on the close column; portions of the line become confused and broken. The wounded were numerous and the dead and the wounded were left, and the work had but just begun, when a friendly discovery made only by daring gallantry of some of the officers prevented the murderous opening of fire by the artillery. What a night they passed in the field where we now stand, that column with its wounded and dying and dead. Dr. Haven the only Surgeon present, without ambulances, with only a pocket case, without even a lantern! The men and officers speak in the highest terms of his coolness, and skill, and labor. By the light of a newspaper kept burning the first amputation was performed. Twenty minutes' ride beyond it and you would have the chances in your favor, or otherwise, of a trip to Secessia the expense of C. S. A. Did you not know we were so near? We are on the line.

Just at the right of us, some boys of a Michigan regiment are clearing a hillock of underbrush and half-grown trees. They tell us a field battery is to be brought up, thence to shell yonder woods two miles away on the hill, whereby the presence of a rebel battery is suspected. Are they so near? We are shown a furrow cut in the earth of an adjoining field, fifty yards from where we stand. A shell burst there yesterday morning at nine. There this morning, showing good glasses and a tolerable aim in the rebels, for Gen. Porter and his staff were sitting in Falls Church, and were the objects of this mark of attention.

At this, some of our party propose to dig out the shell, but the Michigan boys have anticipated that enough have been dug out to Falls Church, watching the hill yonder, where our search for a vision of rebels is rapidly by seeing a squad of their cavalry gallop along the edge of the woods.

A scrap of paper is picked up by one of the party—the tag of a bundle addressed to "Mr. A. F. W. Delorme, Corps Harrington's Company, 9th Reg't So. Carolina Volunteers, Manassas, Va. Care of Mr. Myers." So, about here, Mr. Myers must have executed his commission, and the tag of Capt. Harrington's Company made happy in its possession.

We see other traces of the war, the sad relics of houses destroyed, and cast as we ride along the still standing chimney stacks of eleven burned dwellings. "Doctor," said we to one of our companions, an old resident of Chicago, "this is a sad sight, though; some of these were the homes of Union men."

"Yes," replied the Doctor (whom some of your readers may recognize from his name), "but I can't sympathize much, sad enough, that enough; but then, I suppose the boys burned them for the same reason that so many hate homeopathy." We waited for the point, but knew it would not miss it. "*They want to see the medicine operate.*"

It is gratifying to know, however, that the strict orders issued by the Commander-in-Chief will put a strong check on such "operations" in the future. These ruined homes are the first instalment of the ruin Virginia has invited to her bosom when she joined her fortune with the rebellion.

We ride on until Munson's Hill is before us, its summit, bald crest wearing a mural crown, about whose Federal guns there is this time no sham. And now as the sun is setting redly behind the hills where the rebel camps, we turn our horses homeward, still among camps, still thickly surrounded by the canvas villages among which we have been all day riding.

The camp fires glow brightly, and lending into view amid the leafy coverts, studies the old Dutch masters would have loved to paint, the bright flashing fight on polished bayonet and barrel as the guards face their rounds. The pickets now suspect us and our pass to the light of a lantern, for evening shades have taken fast upon these camps by the lines, and on and how full of eloquence and feeling is the hour.

Think of the loving hearts of the vast multitude of mothers, sisters, wives, sweethearts, turning at nightfall to this vast camp, and these soldier-boys by the Potomac, from homes far away, and about the whole North, the wide North, from Maine to Michigan and Minnesota.

So we have made our round and traversed the camp northward, and return by two different roads; and here is Long Bridge again, and yonder glancing across the waters, the lights of Washington. The commander will serve us now, and we get it at Headquarters, and again we are without the lines, and shortly our horse's feet are clattering down Pennsylvania avenue.

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Archbishop Hughes' Letter.

CHICAGO, October 11, 1861.

Editors Chicago Tribune:

GENTLEMEN:—In yesterday's issue you naturally enough express your surprise at Archbishop Hughes, of the reply to Brownson's great article headed "Slavery and the War." I beg leave to remind you that the Archbishop is not the visible head of the Catholic Church in the United States. The Primatial See is in Baltimore; and Archbishop Kendrick, its present illustrious incumbent, is too apostolic a prelate to say one word which directly or indirectly might have the effect of riveting the chains of domestic slavery on the poor children of Africa.

Suppose this to be Archbishop Hughes' letter, it will be taken for what it is worth by the Catholics of America. A miserable clique of politicians and traitors in disguise, such as Bennett of the *Herald*, will applaud the letter in question; but the good and the charitable of every creed and of every clime will hail Brownson's great article in behalf of this downtrodden African, as truly worthy of a great statesman and a Christian man.

Yours, respectfully,

AN INSHMAN.

A Miraculous Escape from Starvation.

The Memphis *Argus* gives the following account of a miraculous escape from starvation, of a gentleman residing in Lauderdale county, Tennessee, near Hale's Point:

"Last week he was out hunting in a large bottom in his neighborhood, and, as observed, had killed only one of a large cypress stump, which was some twenty feet high. His knowledge of the habit of these geese led him to believe that the goose had a nest in the stump, and on mounting it, he found a large number of vines, which he pulled up to peep in and get possession of the eggs. After he had succeeded in pulling to the top of the stump, he discovered a large number of eggs some six or eight feet down inside. The nest, he supposed, was on a dry foundation, and he accordingly let himself down inside; but, when he struck the substance on which the nest was built, he discovered that it had no foundation, and soon found himself sinking to the bottom of the tree.

The inside of the tree was rotten and would not bear his weight. Now, he was in a dilemma, five miles from any settlement, inside of a stump twenty feet high, with no prospect of any assistance, with nothing to entwist on but the goose eggs. It seemed as if the kind Providence who nearly exhausted, no one coming within hearing distance, the fat third day after his imprisonment, was going to feed him on eggs. Accordingly, two days more were still hunting and came within hearing of his gun. They were very much frightened at hearing a man groaning inside of a stump, and at first concluded they could not succumb to the voice to what it meant, but having learned that the gentleman had been missing from home several days, they soon came to the conclusion that it was a white man in distress, and listened to his story. They proceeded and soon the prisoner was liberated. He swears he will never attempt to rob a goose's nest, although so that one was, again.

WHEAT FOR FRANCE.—The demand for wheat for France continues unabated. At Whitcomb there 50,000 qrs. are now waiting to be shipped on French account, and the corn trade throughout the eastern district has received very extended inquiries from that quarter. At Ipswich, for instance, one merchant alone purchased the other day 3,000 qrs. for export. At Boston, again, the great question of the day is one connected with the export of wheat to France. As all is comparatively leaving for France.—*English paper.*

THE GREAT REBELLION.

Daily Events and Speculations from Various Sources.

SUPERSEDING DETAILS.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5, 1861.

The following dispatches were received to-night at the Navy Department:

DEPOT STEAMER SHIP CONSTELLATION, OFF HATTERAS INLET, Oct. 4, 1861.

SIR: Late in the afternoon of the 3d inst. I received information that the rebels had collected a large force at Chicamacomico and Kinn Keet, and that the Indiana regiment posted there was in full retreat before them; also, that the three tugs in the inlet were aground or disabled. The steamer Fanny had been captured the day before.

I at once got under way the ship and the Monticello, and anchored for the night close to shore, in Butterfly cove. At daybreak, I found our troops in and about the light house, and in distress for want of provisions, which they had been without for twenty four hours. I supplied them with food, and, at the request of their commanding officer, remained for their protection during the day.

Learning that the enemy were still in large force at Kinn Keet, I sent the Monticello to cover them off, which important service was performed by Lieutenant Commanding Bunce, with great effect and good conduct. His report is annexed.

I am very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

J. L. LARDNER, Captain.

To Flag Officer L. M. Goldsborough, &c.

UNITED STATES SHIP MONTICELLO, OFF CAPE HATTERAS, N.C., October 5, 1861.

SIR: I have the honor to inform you that in obedience to your order of this morning, I steed through the inner channel of Hatteras shoals at 11:30 p. m., and steered close along shore to the northward, keeping a bright lookout from aloft.

At 4:30 p. m., which fell apparently in their midst, they rolled up their flag and scattered, moving rapidly up the beach to the northward. We followed them, firing rapidly from the guns, driving them up in a clump of woods, in which they took refuge, and abreast of which their steamer lay.

We now shelled the woods, and could see them rushing in small boats for their vessels, evidently in great confusion, and suffering greatly from our fire.

Their steamer opened fire upon us, firing, however, but three shots, which fell short. Two boats, filled with men, were struck by our shots and disabled. Three more started from the shore, and the steamer took a position opposite the woods. We were shelling also two schooners.

Finding the enemy had left, and could see them rallying in small boats for their vessels, evidently in great confusion, and suffering greatly from our fire.

Their steamer opened fire upon us, firing, however, but three shots, which fell short. Two boats, filled with men, were struck by our shots and disabled. Three more started from the shore, and the steamer took a position opposite the woods. We were shelling also two schooners.

We continued firing from half-past one o'clock p. m., until half-past three p. m., when two men were discovered on the seaboard making signals to us. Supposing them to be of the regiment, we sent an armed boat and crew to bring them off, covering them, at the same time, with our fire.

Upon the boat nearing the beach, they took to the water. One of them (private Warren O. Haven, of Company H, 20th Indiana Regiment), was unarmed, and swam to our boat. The other man, private Charles Waite, Company H, 20th Regiment Indiana troops, was taken prisoner by the rebels in the surf.

Private Haven informs me that he was taken prisoner on the morning of the 4th, and that he witnessed our fire, which was very destructive. He states that two of our tugs had run into two sloops loaded with men, blowing the vessels to pieces, and sinking them; also that several of the rebels were killed. Several dead horses were seen running about the beach. He had just escaped from his captors after shooting the captain of one of the rebel companies. He states that the enemy were in the greatest confusion, rushing wildly into the water, striving to get off to their vessels.

Private Haven now directed me to the point where the enemy were congregated, waiting an opportunity to get off. I opened fire again with success, scattering them. We were now firing in the bottoms of water, and our shot told with effect.

Six steamers were now off the Point, one of which I recognized as the Fanny.

At 5:20 p. m., finding leaving the enemy scattered along the beach for upwards of four miles, I fired repeatedly at the enemy's steamers with our rifled cannon, Parrott pivot gun, which took effect on the Fanny, I think, once. I found the range of the piece much short of what I had anticipated, many of the shells passing over our line, and not one reaching much the range of the smooth bore 32-pounder.

I enclose herewith the memorandum of the ammunition expended to-day.

I am, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

J. L. LARDNER, Captain.

Commanding U. S steamer Monticello.

To Captain J. L. Lardner, commanding U. S. steamer Susquehanna, off Cape Hatteras, North Carolina.

THE GREAT REVIEW.

[From Washington Letter of the 9th.]

The review of artillery and cavalry yesterday, and the progress which has been made in strengthening those two important arms of the service. Gen. McClellan is evidently well aware that at Alma and Inkermann, as, in fact, in all modern battles, the greatest of modern combats, "Fatinne favored the side having the heaviest artillery," and he has also no doubt seen by the report of the cavalry manifest at Bull Run. The State of New York has done great service to the young commander by lending the General Government a noble force, with carriages, harness, caissons and full equipments, and thus enabling him to immediately fit out four batteries. The large majority of the newly enlisted cannoniers are also from New York, many of them veterans who have served in the European armies.

The review was on the large uninclosed plateau east of the Capitol, which is tolerably level, but undrained, so that the rains of the previous night left the holes and hollows filled with water, which the feet of the horses soon worked into the clay, forming a thick mud which was bespattered over the lower portions of both the riders and their steeds. The mud probably preferable to the dust which would otherwise have covered everything as with a cloud.

The troops were paraded in triple lines, each one forming a right angle. On the right was the artillery, eighteen full batteries, including in number the horse batteries, and on the left was the cavalry, six thousand five hundred strong. Behind the cavalry were the woods bordering the Eastern branch, while before them loomed up the Capitol, with its unfinished dome.

The spectators were numerous. President Lincoln came in the morning with Secretary Mr. Fred. Seward and wife, came on the ground in carriages, and had some difficulty in passing within the line of sentries, as the sergeant of the guard had orders not to allow any one within his bounds. But General Porter came to the relief of the distinguished guests, and Lincoln, with his party, were conducted to a position where they could observe the whole review. Among the visitors of the day were Secretary Chase, Secretary Cameron, Secretary Welles, Postmaster General Blair, Attorney General Bates, and Secretary Smith, Col. Cowan, ex-Senator from Pennsylvania, and Col. Forney, of the Philadelphia *Press*, and many others whose names I could not learn.

The troops were under the command of Gen. McClellan in person, and the evolutions were performed with great skill and precision. The cavalry charges were splendid, and the rapid firing of the batteries, as they took position on the field, and moved off, elicited much applause from the spectators. The whole review was a splendid success, and the troops marched off the field in excellent order, and with the step of veterans.

KEEP TO THE RIGHT.

The other day, as the President and General Cameron were going over to the review in Virginia, it was necessary for them to drive through Fort Runyon. There are two gates, and the rule is to keep to the right to prevent confusion; the right road was blocked up, and the President was in a hurry, so he ordered his driver to go through the left; he attempted, but the guard stopped him; the driver insisted on going, and said the President ordered it. "That dodge won't do; you cannot go so back your horses out," he replied; and old Abe, laughing, said, "We had better fall back," and so they backed out and took to the right.

THE WEATHER AND ROADS IN VIRGINIA.

The rains have made the Virginia roads almost impassable for troops and heavily loaded wagons. The new military roads along the Potomac are in much better condition than the ordinary roads. The weather is quite cool; fires are started in almost every house, overcoats and blankets are in great do mand, and the soldiers, while thinking of the comforts of home, are making up their minds one that winter is close at hand. The rebels, now without tents, blankets, pants or shoes—must sit and shiver by the camp fire at night, or suffer bitterly from the damp, cold air.

GALLANTRY IN THE NAVY.

There have been so few opportunities for the officers and men of the navy to distinguish themselves in the present war, up to this time, that we should make the most of those occasions where there has been unusual gallantry displayed. The recent exploit of the boat expedition from the Colorado to Pensacola, was one of those bold and brilliant deeds that deserve to be widely remembered. The boarding and burning of the rebel privateer Judith, at her wharf, after a spirited contest with the crew, will rank with some of the daring deeds of our early wars with Tripoli and Great Britain. Lieut. John H. Russell, of the navy, who commanded in this expedition, deserves to be honored and rewarded, as one of the bravest and most skilful of our young naval officers. The circumstances of his being left in command of the boats after the fight in which he figured, and our fellow-citizens of that State have a right to be proud of him.

"En Avant."

[From the Richmond Dispatch, Sept. 6th.]

The weather for the last two weeks has been splendid. The earth, saturated heretofore by an unusual quantity of rain, has become thoroughly dried, the streams have resumed their usual channels, or shrunk within their usual borders. The atmosphere is exceedingly brilliant, reminding us of that purity of Autumn for which the Indian summer. These were two most propitious weather for military operations. And we are reminded by the date of the month of this fact. To-morrow the equinox is upon us, accompanied by its usual concomitants of clouds, rain and storms. It seems as though nature herself had ordained our course, and invites us to come forward. We cannot always calculate upon her favors. In a few days she may abound herself in shrouds and drench the earth, more or less rain. We hope our Generals will take advantage of the opportunity, and seize the initiative. Time, in military matters, is victory, is triumph, is everything; and we learn from the old adage, that time is half behind. He must be seized by the forelock, or he will forever elude the grasp.

We are glad to see this journal presumed to criticise the movements of our Generals. We could not but see, what all the world must have seen, that a movement in advance one day, or one week, or even two weeks, after the battle of Manassas, would have resulted in advantages to our cause, which it is almost impossible to conceive. We fear to express with mathematical precision. We could not resist the belief that men, who fled as the Yankees had fled from that field, could not be made to stand behind any fortifications, how formidable soever they might be, if attacked by strong arms and resolute hearts. We could not be induced to think that the recruits and tried veterans ought to be paid to those routed, terrified, disconcerted, panic-stricken, relics of a military mob, when no pursuition of their officers, and the sentiment of shame had induced to stand and look our army in the face.

We felt confident that the best way to deal with such men was to assail them boldly, no matter what their numbers might be, without waiting a moment to count the cost of the assault. We are sure they would not stand the test, for we knew that they were disbanding daily, that they were totally regardless of military duty, that they were almost all lying over Washington, lying drunk in the ramshops, on the cellar doors, in the gutters, and thinking of nothing but getting back home. We were satisfied, in fact, that the only thing that Washington might have been taken by a handful of men, almost by a charge of cavalry. We could not understand the advantages of delay. We knew nothing of military tactics; but the medium of common sense with which we were gifted by our Creator, enabled us to doubt the policy which left to a conquered and dispirited enemy the leisure to recover from his terror, to restore discipline, recruit his forces, to drill his men, to erect gigantic fortifications. But we said nothing of all this, became our Generals had the matter in their own hands, and best knew what they were capable of performing. When, therefore, we learned that their reason for not following a panic-stricken enemy twenty five miles, was that they had not provision and transportation sufficient to carry them that distance, we thought the public ought to be satisfied. We had read, nevertheless, that Cæsar had pursued Pompey from the plains of Thessaly to the sea beach of Alexandria, after the battle of Pharsalia, although previously to that battle he had been on the point of breaking up his camp for want of provisions. We had, moreover, read the first proclamation of Gen. Butler, in his command at Fortress Monroe, to the army in Italy, in which he tells them that in the course of five months' campaign he had gained six victories and destroyed two armies; that they had "gained battles without cannon, crossed rivers without pontoons, made forced marches without shoes, and encamped all night under arms without brandy, and sometimes even without provisions"—that they had been "herein even of necessaries at the commencement of the campaign," but that now (at the date of the proclamation) they enjoyed plenty," for that "the magazines taken from the enemy were numerous." Still, the public, deeply as they were disgraced at the disappointment, acquiesced in the apology for the Generals, that they had not transportation and provisions for so short a distance, and we felt no disposition to disturb its verdict.

We have already said that the advantages which would have resulted to the Confederate States from an advance at that period, were not to be estimated by any process known to arithmetic. Some of them, however, are so palpably on the surface that we cannot forbear to notice them in passing. We should have captured the city of Baltimore, and purged it of the foul vermin who have converted it into a nest for their tribe. We should have arrested the secession and incarceration of our friends, who have been abducted and incarcerated only because they were our friends. We should have captured the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and, by throwing a strong body of troops upon the rear of the Yankee marauders in Western Virginia, have rendered their capture and destruction inevitable. We should have protected North Carolina from invasion. We should have arrested the progress of the Yankee arms in Missouri, and placed that gallant State in her true position. We should have enabled Kentucky to purge off the vile impost that infests her, by ejecting forty-seven pedlers from her territory, and made them tremble for their own Capital. We should have taken Philadelphia, and prevented the call for the withdrawal of Lincoln's scoundrels from Fortress Monroe, and of his fleet from the blockade of our ports. In a word, we should have gone in the midst of the Yankee hordes, broken up their military organizations, held Boston and New York at our feet, compelled them to sue for terms, and exacted ample indemnity for all their robberies, all their injuries, and all their insults.

Another opportunity offers itself. We have a numerous army on the Potomac—it burns for distinction, and pants for the hour that is to lead it into action. If its ardor be not restrained, Chesapeake will soon flaunt the colors of the Confederate States upon Faneuil Hall. It will have battles to fight; but that is what the most sanguine hope for. It will have rivers to cross; but Colonel Napier tells us that rivers, so far from being an insuperable barrier, do not even form a good position. If they cannot be forded at once, they may be crossed another. When did the Rhine ever constitute an insuperable object to an army wishing to invade France? Germany, a host of such an army wishing to invade Lombardy? Where did any great river offer an insuperable obstacle to a victorious army and a brave army? In the name of the united South, then, let our armies advance while the weather is fine and everything propitious.

The Late Disasters Affair.

[Washington Correspondence of the N. Y. Herald.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The steamer Spaulding returned to Hatteras this morning, bringing the remainder of the Hatteras expedition, which differs little from the account already telegraphed.

The Indiana Regiment lost tents, provisions, and many knapsacks, &c. Col. Brown shared his loss at 50. None were killed. The Lieutenant-Colonel being the only officer who was taken prisoner.

The rebel loss had been overrated, but it was unfortunately large.

SLAVERY AT THE CAPITOL.

Sworn Statement of Fugitive Slaves Employed on Fortifications.

[Correspondence of the N. Y. Independent.]

It is scarcely necessary to say that the fact has come out that the rebels have been in San Francisco's pockets of this territory in the interest of the rebellion. A majority of the Commissioners with the Pacific Territory Counties is reported to side very decidedly with the Western Confederacy. Of the Federal appointees, all combine against the proclamation. There are also many truthful, loyal men who believe it impolitic to interfere with slavery at this time by proclamation or otherwise. The sentiment of the people of the loyal States is far in advance of that of Congress. The action of the latter body has been influenced chiefly by the fugitive slave question. Many of the Senators and Representatives in Washington, after a very long and harassing day, and *a distressing ride on a horse from one encampment to another, will not arrive in seventeen or eighteen hours.* On Monday night I was obliged to close my dispatch in order to send it off by 4 o'clock a. m. Tuesday, by special courier, to catch the steamer for England, which left Boston on Saturday. It was obviously impossible to do more than send *my impressions*, nor could I correct any *errors on my part* before the departure of the steamer. Yesterday, since published, give an excellent account in detail of all the different views of the action along the Wisconsin line, and every one will agree with *it* (*sic*) *in my duty to state.*

This is pretty well for an apology. Mr. Russell then goes on to show that parties are not in themselves inconsistent with bravery and good fighting qualities. He also compliments the generalship and bravery of the army of the department of Generals McDowell and McClellan. It is evident that Mr. Russell feels that the prestige he has gained by his battle scenes is quite gone in this country, and seriously endangered in England. Only by a due regard for veracity and modesty can he regain it. In the face of the positive and circumstantial contradiction of so many of his statements, by responsible eye-witnesses of the very events he is describing, it is useless for him to say nothing in the *Times* to excuse it, as it does in a column devoted to his defense, that he is "a gentleman whose veracity and description of the powers and men of the army first time." On the contrary, it is the misfortune of its special correspondent that those qualities are now for the first time fairly upon trial, and have been found wanting to such an disadvantage. In this connection we advise every one to read with care the "Bull Run Panic" of the *Atlantic Monthly*, published by Mr. G. P. Putnam. Take contains all the official reports of the battle, and the scathing exposure of Mr. Russell's exaggerations, by competent witnesses.—*N. Y. Independent.*

Our Fraternal Obligations at Washington.

Our army at Washington is not entirely inactive. A detachment of the Fifteenth regiment returned a negro to his master. It must have been some regiment whose term of enlistment had not expired, for Pennsylvania regiments were disbanded before the expiration of that, even under the sound of the enemy's guns. If our grand army fulfills our obligations to the South, it will be accepted by the country as a sufficient return for the cost and protracted preparation. It is a sad thing to see that while the military power is restricted to the letter of the law, it is doubtful with the slaves of rebels in arms, it sends men back to slavery, although the law provides that this duty shall be discharged by the civil officers. It is only from marching men that the military power is restricted by the civil law. In marking them slaves, the military power is supreme; and in such a case the civil law is silent.

This business is not now a-days done at Washington by proclamation. Yet we see by the editorials in the Northern papers, and by items in other Eastern papers, and by some instances which have come to light, that much of it is being done. It is therefore seems to be selling up its army as hermetically from all means of intelligence of the enemy, as it did previous to Bull Run. From this sign, we might suppose that a forward movement is intended. Aside from the military policy which makes enemies of the slaves, and deprives the army of the means of information, the return of slaves by our army is entirely without warrant of law, which has provided a legal process for these ruscitures.—*Cincinnati Gazette, 10th.*

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THE CITY.

FIRE-WORKS AT THE ORPHAN'S FAIR.—The fire-works at the Orphan's Fair, which closed yesterday evening, were of the most splendid description.

A NATIONAL LOAN.—J. H. Dunham, Esq., Assistant of the Treasury for the North-west, has been ordered to the Government Saturday, $20,000, on account of the National Loan.

WAR OFF THE.—We are informed that Col. Dickey's Regiment, encamped at Ottawa, has not yet received marching orders for Washington, as has been previously stated.

LOSS BY FIRE.—The loss by the fire on Saturday morning in May's Hotel on Wells street, amounts to about $1500, which is covered by insurance. It is supposed that the fire was the work of an incendiary.

☞ Parents, guardians, and all desiring instruction in dancing, are invited to visit Martize's Chicago Dancing Academy, south-east corner of Clark and Monroe streets, which is now open for the season. Select weekly soirees Tuesday evenings.

IN PORT.—The schooner Magic, which was sunk by a collision with the brig Kirk White, Thursday night, has been towed into the harbor, water-logged, and is discharging her cargo east of Clark street bridge. She was struck shaft of the fore rigging on the port side.

SUCCESSFUL RECRUITING.—C. S. Cameron, Esq., the well known Attorney of this city, now First Lieutenant of Capt. Paddock's company, Col. Brackett's Cavalry Regiment, has just returned from a recruiting trip in Bureau County, bringing with him sixty able bodied men for his company.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT OF LIND UNIVERSITY.—The introductory exercises of the winter session of this institution will be held this (Monday) evening, at the College Hall, No. 32 Market street. The lecture will be delivered by Dr. Andrews. The profession and the public are invited to attend.

ANOTHER NEW MAP.—J. H. Johnson, corner of State and Randolph streets, has laid upon our table a new and elegant map of Virginia and Maryland, published by Lloyd, New York, embracing all the towns, canals, rivers, creeks, forts, batteries and encampments in those States. Johnson is sole agent for these fine maps.

BARKER'S DRAGOONS.—A dispatch to the New York *Herald* has the following item: "George W. Shear was yesterday elected First Lieutenant of the McClellan Dragoons, which acts as the General's body guard, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Lieut. Bracken, who took this means to avoid a court martial."

CORRECTION.—The proprietor of the "Ottawa Field" billiard saloon wishes us to say that the disturbance of Friday afternoon did not originate in his saloon, but was caused by the posse that came over from the *Post* office. He says he ordered them out at the commencement, and got himself into trouble in consequence.

☞ The large auction sale of Italian marble and alabaster statuary, vases and ornaments, Bohemian glass, silver plated goods, china, &c., now advertised by Gilbert, Sampson & Warner, commences to-morrow, Tuesday, Oct. 15th, at 2 and 7 p. m. This beautiful stock of goods will be on exhibition on Monday afternoon and evening, the 14th.

TEMPERANCE LECTURES.—The Rev. Nathaniel Colver, D. D., Pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist Church, Chicago, formerly of Tremont Temple, Boston, will deliver a lecture on the subject of "Temperance," before the Chicago Temperance Legion, in Elwood's Chapel, corner of Halsted and Harrison streets, this (Monday) evening, Oct. 14th. The public are invited to attend.

MR. HACKETT.—This renowned comedian commences his engagement at McVicker's Theatre on Monday evening, appearing as Falstaff in King Henry IV. This announcement will be sufficient to fill the Theatre—and the same will draw crowds for a week. The manager announces that seats can be secured for any night during the week. The theatre will undoubtedly be the rage during the engagement of this great comedian.

APPOINTMENT.—Harry C. Molan has been appointed First Lieutenant in Co. H, Yates Phalanx, commanded by Capt. Freeman, and will proceed to recruit for said company. All those out on furlough or otherwise will report themselves to Capt. Freeman immediately. Those wishing to attach themselves to a good company, commanded by a good officer, can now avail themselves of this opportunity, as they will join the regiment in Missouri in a few days.

NEW MUSIC.—Messrs. Root & Cady, music dealers, No. 95 Larmon Block, Clark street, have just issued two new pieces of music—"Oh! Leave Me Not," song, by Mrs. Isaac C. Bates, and the "Amateur March," composed by James Murfee, Jr.

The same firm have just received "The Asaph," a new choir book by Lowell Mason and William Mason. The names of the authors are sufficient guarantee for the character of the work.

NINE CHEERS.—On Saturday evening about 6 o'clock, Capt. Bates's company of Mechanic Pioneers, all carpenters, belonging to Col. Fuller's Regiment of Engineers, presented themselves in front of our office, and gave the TRIBUNE nine as lusty cheers as ever sprung from the human heart through patriotic throats. This body of men, who are now engaged in building barracks at Cottage Grove, are as sturdy and hardy a set of men as ever entered the service. Col. Wilson's regiment was originated by the War Department, and has no connection with our State service.

FARNSWORTH'S CAVALRY.—The second detachment of Farnsworth's cavalry, 30 men each from companies G, H, I, J, K, L, M, in all 180 men with 600 horses, reached this city Saturday afternoon. This detachment left St. Charles at 8.30 in the morning, arriving in the city at 4.30, making the distance—about 40 miles—in about eight hours. The horses, accompanied by the 180 men, will leave this (Sunday) morning, at 8 o'clock, by the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad for Washington. The balance of the men, seventy-five each from twelve companies—in all 900—will leave St. Charles on Monday, direct for Washington, passing through this city without stopping.

HAHNEMANN MEDICAL COLLEGE.—The annual Winter Course in the Homeopathic Medical College of this city will open with an Introductory Lecture by Prof. Small, on Monday, October 14th, at 7½ o'clock p. m. We are informed the prospect for pupils to this institution is most flattering, a fact which, on the part of the profession, evinces a sense of appreciation for the excellent educational advantages offered therein. The chairs of the Faculty are represented by men of character and position, and with a course of five to eight daily lectures, extending through a term of twenty week's duration, it will be their own fault if the young Doctors are not well versed in matters of a medical nature.

NEW ELEVATOR.—We are glad to learn that one of our most enterprising warehouse firms is about commencing a new elevator on the North Branch, to be used mainly, we believe, for receiving grain which comes in over the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad. It will be of the largest size, and built in the most substantial manner, and will be completed at an early day. It will be furnished with ten of Fairbanks's five hundred bushel Hopper Scales, each one of which, so perfect will be the machinery, can be loaded to its full capacity and the load discharged in a few minutes. This shows the immense amount of grain which can be handled in this elevator, and in a sufficient quantity to furnish at will as cars-full and shippers, that correct weights will be given.

Postmaster—Col. C. M. Wilcox, Gurnsey; Hon. H. Henderson, with Milwaukee; Henry S. Chamberlain, U. S. A.; J. T. Lane, Davenport; A. A. Lane, A. H. Bonney, W. H. Whitney, and Allen Whitney, New York; Chas. T. Scott, England; Hon. D. P. Rhodes Cincinnati, O.; Hon. Thos. Hood, Gov. A. W. Randall, D. D. Randall, Secretary S. P. Harvey and lady, Supt. Jarvis, Col. Randall, Hon. Ira Woodruff, Col. Gaylord and wife, Col. J. Y. Scammon, and wife, Judge Skinner, Madison, Wis.; Col. S. C. Murphy and wife, Fond du Lac; Col. Bobbins, Major J. W. Robbins, Aid; Gen. W. Sanford with Master D. L. Billings, Y. Sanford and wife, Mrs. Gen. Dodge, Mrs. L. P. Thornhill and wife, Assistant Surgeon H. C. Hoskins and wife, Assistant Surgeon J. E. Marts, Rev. Mr. McKinley, Chaplain, 8th Regiment W. V.; P. H. Babbitt, Monroe county; Jessie H. Hacket, New York, are among the arrivals at the Tremont House.

THE SIXTH WISCONSIN REGIMENT EN ROUTE FOR ST. LOUIS.

The March Through Chicago.

DINNER AT THE TREMONT HOUSE.

THE CHIPPEWA EAGLE.

DEPARTURE OF THE REGIMENT.

Incidents of the Trip, &c.

Col. Murphy, of the Eighth Wisconsin Regiment, which has been in camp some three or four weeks, on Friday received orders to report his command to Gen. Fremont, at St. Louis. Preparations for the march were accordingly made, and on Saturday morning, at five o'clock, the tents were struck, the baggage packed, and at eight o'clock the regiment were off the field. Arrived at the depot, at about 9 o'clock, the baggage and equipments having been previously placed in the train, the regiment was drawn up in line, and in ten minutes from that time, the men were in the cars and the train in motion. Such a fact speaks equally well for the officers of the Regiment, and the Superintendent of the Prairie du Chien Railroad, under whose supervision the train was until his arrival at Janesville.

At this place the regiment was supplied with coffee and eatables by the Northwestern Railroad, while the officers fared sumptuously through the bountiful kindness of Mrs. Judge Noggles of Janesville, after which they proceeded on the route of the Northwestern road to Chicago, where they arrived at about 4 o'clock, making the whole trip from Madison to Chicago in the short time of about six hours. The regiment was in two trains—consisting in all of thirty-three cars—and such time, with such trains, is, we believe, rather faster than the average.

The Eighth is considered, we believe, the "crack regiment of Wisconsin. From report, we have been led to expect a fine corps, and we have not been disappointed. The following is the

ROSTER OF THE REGIMENT.

Colonel—Robt. C. Murphy, St. Croix.
Lieut. Colonel—Gen. Robbins, Madison.
Adjutant—2. T. Sprague, Madison.
Quartermaster—P. Billings, Oshkosh.
Surgeon—S. P. Thornhill, Madison.
Asst Surgeon—Wm. Hobbins, Madison.
Chaplain—Rev. Mr. McKinly, St. Croix.

NON-COMMISSIONED STAFF.

Sergeant Major—J. Woodworth.
Quartermaster's Sergeant—C. S. Noggle.
Commissary Sergeant—A. H. Beckingford.
Hospital Steward—Jno. G. Jackson.
Hospital Steward—Chas. Haynes.
Drum Major—F. N. Keely.
Leader of Band—— Jones.

FIELD AND STAFF.

COMPANY A.—110 men. Capt. J. B. Reddold; 1st Lieut., R. B. Pasher; 2d Lieut., R. J. Baker. From Madison.

COMPANY B.—110 men. Capt. Conger; 1st Lieut., J. N. Smith; 2d Lieut., C. B. Stephens. From Madison.

COMPANY C.—94 men. Capt. J. E. Perkins; 1st Lieut., R. E. Williams; 2d Lieut., Ulram Wilkins. From Clark.

COMPANY D.—98 men. Capt. Wm. J. Dawes; 1st Lieut., R. E. Williams; 2d Lieut., Ulram Wilkins. From Fox Lake.

COMPANY E.—96 men. Capt. Wm. C. Young; 1st Lieut., Jno. Wheeler; 2d Lieut., Wm. Williams. From Fitchburg.

COMPANY F.—108 men. Capt. Green; 1st Lieut., Busch; 2d Lieut., Berry. From Crawford, Indiana and Green counties.

COMPANY G.—98 men. Capt. Wm. P. Britton; 1st Lieut., King; 2d Lieut., Beamish. From Janesville.

COMPANY H.—89 men. Capt. Stephen Bates; 1st Lieut., L. P. Munsell; 2d Lieut., F. B. Willoughby. From Hollville.

COMPANY I.—105 men. Capt. Baker; 1st Lieut., Bickock; 2d Lieut., Lathrop. From La Crosse.

COMPANY K.—100 men. Capt. W. P. Lyon; 1st Lieut., A. G. Smith; 2d Lieut., J. O. Bartlett. From Racine.

The pomp of the regiment over the entire route was a perfect ovation. Every little village through which the train passed turned out its throng to cheer them, and amid shouts and hurrahs and waving of hats and handkerchiefs, the train proceeded to Chicago.

Arrived in this city the regiment was soon disembarked, and marched through Canal street to Randolph, through Dearborn, Lake and State streets again to Randolph, and thence down Michigan avenue to the depot of the Illinois Central Railroad. The march through the city was witnessed by large numbers of people, and many were the encomiums passed upon their fine appearance and soldierly bearing.

At this depot the soldiers again partook of refreshments, furnished through the liberality of the Road, while the officers, by invitation of Jhon B. Drake, Esq., proceeded to the Tremont House, to supper.

At about nine o'clock, everything being in readiness, the regiment was again under way, in two trains, the officers occupying one of the fine sleeping cars of the Road—off for St. Louis, where they expect to arrive at about nine o'clock in the morning.

The regiment was accompanied to Chicago by Governor Randall, and Col. Jacobsen, and the following members of his staff: General W. W. Treadwell, Quartermaster-General; Gen. Wm. L. Utley, Adjutant-General; Gen. E. B. Wadsworth, Commissary-General. Also Lewis Harvey, Secretary of State, and nominee for Governor; J. V. Robbins, Esq., and Judge Hood, of Dane County Court.

The regiment has a fine band of some eighteen pieces, formed from the Fox Lake and Northwestern Cornet Bands, which discovered fine musical talent through the entire city. It is also thoroughly equipped and uniformed, and armed with Minie muskets, with cleap bayonets. The uniforms are all of grey cloth, with the exception of the officers', and the privates' overcoats, the former of which are of dark blue, and the latter of light blue color. They have two hundred and thirteen tents of the Wall pattern.

The regiment numbers one thousand and fifty men, and, as a whole, is, we think, as fine looking, well officered, and well drilled, as any regiment which has passed through our city. The men are well built, muscular fellows, and apparently in fine spirits at the prospects of a brush with the rebels. A noticeable feature among them was the Chippewa Eagles, Captain Perkins, a company of first class, stalwart fellows, and the five American Eagles, which they brought with them, was an object of much curiosity. He is a majestic bird, well trained and docile, permitting people to pat his regal head and smooth down his feathers without resistance.

When marching, the eagle is carried at the head of the company, elevated on a perch at the top of a pole. The eagle was caught on the head waters of the Chippewa River, by the Chippewa Indians. Captain Perkin's company take it with them to the war. The men were offered a large sum for it in Madison, but they will not part with it. They swear it shall never be taken by the enemy. No doubt the Chippewa Eagles and their pet will be heard of again.

Quite an amusing incident occurred at Harvard, a small station on the Northwestern Road, where the train stopped for water. Some of the men were allowed to get off the train, and as the bell rang and the officer cried, "All aboard!" one brave soldier—an old man named Burns, of Company K, from Racine—took to his heels and ran, and the last that was seen of him he was making quick tracks through the village towards the north.

The officers of the regiment appeared very well pleased with their reception all along their route, and especially with the accommodations afforded them by the railroads over which they had passed.

The press is very well represented in this regiment, two of the Captains having been editors in Wisconsin.

The Wentworth Gathering at Metropolitan Hall.

At an early hour on Saturday evening, attracted by the music of the Great Western Band conspicuously posted in a window on LaSalle street, an audience estimated at from ten to fifteen hundred gathered at Metropolitan Hall, to listen to the address of the late Liberty and Reconcny Mayor—upon the importance of the coming Constitutional Convention—as relating to the currency of the State.

Hon. Thos. Dyer—the emoluments pertaining to the offices of County Clerk and Treasurer—Wild Cat Banking—Union Contractions, Horse Contracts, Spoils, &c., &c.

Mr. Wentworth commenced by lamenting the unfortunate condition of the country and the heavy demands made upon the energies and patriotism of our citizens, and by an easy transition passed to the consideration of the duties incumbent upon them in the selection of candidates for the coming Convention. He said it was a matter of serious moment to the entire people of the State, characterizing it as an emergency notable, and charged that the Legislature was lulled to pass the late banking law, and stated that he was prepared to go before any grand jury, and give the names of those contributing money to bribe said legislature. Mr. Wentworth was frequently applauded during his address.

PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD.

THIRD DAY—MORNING SESSION.

The Synod reconvened at 9 o'clock, and the first half hour was occupied in devotional exercises.

At 9½ o'clock, the Judicial Committee reported that no business had been placed before them, and they asked to be discharged. Report accepted and the committee discharged.

Rev. Dr. Patterson, who had been appointed to prepare an essay on Church Polity, stated that the subject was so vast and comprehensive, and comprised such matters of such a critical nature, as to be improper to burden the Synod with them. He had, therefore, abandoned the idea of presenting the subject at this time, and asked to be excused, promising to complete the labor and present the essay in some other shape, at some future day. The request to be excused for the present was granted.

The Stated Clerk submitted a scheme for the publication of the minutes of the Synod in future, annually, accompanied by a form for statistical reports of the Presbyteries. The report was accepted, and after discussion adopted, with the amendment that the first publication be made one year hence.

The Committee on the Minutes of the General Assembly made their report, which was accepted and adopted.

Rev. Mr. Dickinson, of Lake Forest, and Rev. Mr. Clark, appeared and took their seats, each offering excuses for previous non-attendance, which were accepted by the Synod.

Mr. Otis's name was entered as an elder from the Presbytery of Chicago, and he took his seat in the Synod.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures, reported in reply to Overture No. 1 as follows:

Overture No. 1, from the Presbytery of Chicago, asking the Synod to revise the Manual now in general use among the churches, is in order, and your Committee recommend that the Synod take such action on the subject as in their wisdom shall be deemed best.

Report accepted and adopted.

Rev. Dr. Patterson, from the Committee on Deceased Clergymen, reported as follows:

WHEREAS, It has pleased our Heavenly Father, in His holy Providence, to remove from us by death, our dearly beloved brethren, Wm. H. Spencer and George W. Gale, with whom we have often taken sweet converse in the meetings of this synod;

Resolved, That we humbly recognize this solemn dispensation as coming from the Great Head of the Church, who chastens us for our goods, and who doeth all things well.

Resolved, That in the removal from us of Rev. W. H. Spencer, we have lost a faithful fellow worker, and a vigilant watchman has been taken from the walls of Zion.

Resolved, That in the decease of Geo. W. Gale, D. D., we are called to mourn the departure of an honored patriarch in the church, a laborious and successful friend of Christian education, by whom were laid, in great part, the foundations of Knox College, and a sound, true-hearted and able minister of Jesus Christ.

Resolved, That we feel admonished by these strokes of our Father's hand, to be more in earnest than ever to do our appointed work, and to have our lamps trimmed and burning, as those who wait for the coming of their Lord.

The report was accepted, adopted, and ordered to be entered upon the Journal of the Synod.

The Permanent Committee on Education made a report which was referred to the Standing Committee on Education.

The Committee on Narrative reported on the state of religion in the churches as follows:

In these troublous times, it is grateful for Christ, that brethren to be permitted to all together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus; to retire from the pressure of business, and the cares of the world, to be free from fightings within. It is always good and pleasant for brethren to dwell together in unity, but that unity is never more precious than when seen in contrast with external discord.

When all material interests are imperiled, it is a cause of joy to those who love the Church, that she is true as the stone of the palms of His hands, and that her walls are ever before Him who is mighty to save, and to rest assured that no weapon found against Christ's spiritual kingdom shall prosper; because He is stronger than the strong man armed, and if a legion in stake even the wrath of his enemies to praise Him, and the remainder of wrath He will restrain.

We are permitted, as a Synod, to rejoice, that in view of the sad condition of our country, the reports indicate a better condition of our Presbyteries and churches than we had ventured to anticipate.

Of the eighty-eight clerical members of this body at the commencement of the Synodical year, two of them—the Rev. George W. Gale, D. D., of Galesburg, and the Rev. Wm. H. Spencer, of Westminster Church, Chicago—have departed this life, leaving us delightful evidence that they have entered into rest. One of the Elders of the church in Beloit has gone to his reward. In these removals by death, the voice of the Master to all who survive is, "Be ye also ready."

None of our churches have become extinct—while four churches have been organized, and the way prepared for the formation of others, and nearly all our churches report additions both by letter and on profession of faith.

The recent and present pecuniary pressure which has embarrassed and depressed the nation, has been felt in its full measure by our churches. Yet not so severely as to close any of our pulpits, or deprive the people of the preached Gospel.

Our congregations are steadily increasing in numbers; the monthly concert and other meetings for prayer, are generally sustained, and though but three or four revivals of religion are reported, still there have been many instances of hopeful conversion.

The several departments of Christian effort by which our churches have undertaken to diffuse a knowledge of the Gospel, and those agencies especially which are regarded as our strength and stay in our own, are evidently obtaining a stronger hold on both the confidence and sympathy of the community generally.

The success attending the Illustration imparted in the Sabbath School—one church having received an accession of fifty-seven members—and particularly the Divine blessing on our Mission Schools, in which some who are favored with no other means of Christian culture have been hopefully converted, afford great encouragement for the still more vigorous prosecution of this kind of Christian toil.

It is also worthy of grateful notice that in the stern conflict in which our country is now engaged, our churches have been enabled to furnish their quota of those whom, we trust will prove themselves to be Christian warriors battling nobly for the right.

But while we gratefully recount these several indications of the Divine favor to our beloved Zion, with many others which might be named, we would not conceal from ourselves or from our churches the fact that these unusual and exciting times are fraught with peculiar danger to the people of God. The inspired injunctions which urge to constant watchfulness and prayer, and to the keeping of the heart with all diligence were never more important in order to the healthful piety of the individual Christian and to the maintainance of all the great interests that are dear to the Church, and that are intimately connected with the establishment of the Redeemer's kingdom on the earth.

Above all, let it rest as a burden on every Christian heart, united with us in the fellowship of the Gospel, that our great, absolute necessity, and the blessing more to be desired than any other, is a refreshing from the presence of the Lord; the copious effusions of the Holy Spirit on all our communities, and a preparation of heart to appreciate so great a favor.

The attitude of the prophet may well be assumed by our entire Church, each exclaiming with godly sincerity, "For Zion's sake will I not hold my peace, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until the righteousness thereof go forth as bright ness and the salvation thereof as a lamp that burneth." So shall we fulfil the conditions required of the watchmen upon her walls, "Which shall never hold their peace day nor night and give Him no rest till He establish and till He make Jerusalem a praise in the earth." Then of our Zion it shall be said, "Thou shalt also be a crown and glory in the hand of the Lord and a royal diadem in the hand of thy God." "Thou shalt no more be termed forsaken, neither shall thy land any more be termed desolate, for the Lord delighteth in thee."

The Committee on Capitation Tax made a partial report, which was accepted, and the Committee discharged.

The Permanent Committee on Domestic Missions made a report, which was referred to the Standing Committee on that subject.

The question was then taken up as the order for the meeting of the next Annual Synod, Bloomington, Peoria, Chicago, Joliet and Rockford were named by different members. The latter was in favor of Rockford, and that place was designated for the next annual meeting of the Synod.

Rev. Dr. Humphrey moved that a Committee of Arrangements be appointed to act in reference to the meeting. Rev. Dr. Mattoon and Elder Shaw were appointed as such committee.

The report of the Permanent Committee on Publications was called up as the order of the day, but it not appearing the Committee was discharged, and the Synod, on motion, proceeded to appoint a Committee to nominate a Stated Clerk of the Synod to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Rev. Wm. H. Spencer.

No receipts for the Presbytery of Galena for Education past, a motion was made and passed that the Stated Clerk of the Synod be instructed to admonish the Galena Clerk of his neglect, and request more promptness.

Rev. Dr. Mattoon offered the following preamble and resolution:

In view of the comparative low state of religion in the churches represented in this Synod,

Resolved, That we cordially approve the action of the last General Assembly, recommending "all pastors and churches, as far as practicable, to observe the first week in December as a season of special prayer for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit on our congregations, and in special reference to the conversion of the children and youth of our churches."

Unanimously adopted.

Rev. Dr. Patterson, from the Committee on Church Erection, reported that the appropriations of notes held by the Committee, amounting in the aggregate to about $8,000, had not been collected, and that the financial and business condition of the country, that where extensions had been granted to collect by the last Legislature, and stated that he was prepared to go before any grand jury, and give the names of those contributing money to bribe said legislature. Mr. Wentworth was frequently applauded during his address.

THE ALD. COLBY INVESTIGATION.

MORE ABOUT THE "GREAT PAPER."

Interesting Testimony of Major Rumsey, J. K. G. Forrest, Thomas Van Bent, and Richard Cleveland.

The Aldermen Colby investigation was resumed on Saturday evening, nearly a full Board of Aldermen being present.

Mr. Mackie explained his previous testimony that Ald. Colby did not use the name of Evans in his remarks at the Council meeting alluded to in his evidence.

TESTIMONY OF RICHARD CLEVELAND.

I was City Superintendent in 1860: I had the office of Water Commissioner. Wrote letter dated September 1, 1860, to Ald. Colby; I gave Ald. Colby a certificate for work done by him on Western Avenue; I can't tell how much; I think it was somewhere about May 10, 1860, at or about the time it was dated; Ald. Kimberly asked me one day if I would ride out to the stone quarry with him; we rode over the prairie of some kind; I don't remember the name of the road; I was the only one in the carriage with Kimberly; we got out and examined it; I think Kimberly and myself; I don't remember that Colby was present; I got up; I told him the stones were not broken as fine as they ought to be, and he said the specifications did not call for it. (witness examined specification but he could not identify it as a copy; two inches and a quarter was the size they called for; I don't remember that Colby called on me and asked me for an acceptance; I told him that it would not be necessary for me to give it, as the Superintendent had come into office; I asked him if he had got pile of Boston; he said either paid for it or would not be long about it; he did not say he wanted it of me; I did not examine the account and specification at the time; subsequently I examined and I examined them; the contract was drawn when I signed it.

To Mr. Colby—I am positive I never saw it; I was there; I got up; I told him the stones were not broken as fine as they ought to be, and he said the specification